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SUBJ: TAIPOWER'S MAANSHAN NUCLEAR POWER PLANT

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1. ON 3 APRIL 1978, ECONOFF MET WITH TAIPOWER PRESIDENT DAVID CHU TO DISCUSS REFTEL REQUIREMENTS. CHU STATED THAT INITIAL CONSTRUCTION WORK IS PROCEEDING EXACTLY ACCORDING TO SCHEDULE AT THIS TIME. HE MENTIONED THAT ALTHOUGH THE LAND ACQUISITION PHASE PUT THEM FIFTY DAYS BEHIND SCHEDULE, THEY HAVE SINCE MADE UP THAT DEFICIT. ON 2 APRIL THE FIRST REBARS OF THE FOUNDATION MAT WERE EMPLACED, AND SD CONSTRUCTION HAS BEGUN ACCORDING TO THE ORIGINAL SCHEDULE.

2. CHU STATED THE REACTOR VESSELS FOR UNITS 5 AND 6 WILL BE INSTALLED IN MARCH 1981 AND NOVEMBER 1981 RESPECTIVELY.

THE CURRENT TARGETS FOR INITIAL CORE LOADINGS OF UNIT 5 AND 6 ARE STILL APRIL 1984 AND APRIL 1985 RESPECTIVELY. CHU ANTICIPATES THAT TAIPOWER WILL
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BE ABLE TO KEEP TO ITS SCHEDULES FOR THESE TWO UNITS, AND NO DELAYS OF THE TYPE EXPERIENCED WITH CHINSHAN ARE ANTICIPATED.

3. AT THE END OF THIS MONTH ECON COUNSELOR KYLE AND ECONOFF SIMMONS PLAN TO VISIT MAANSHAN FOR AN "ONSITE" SURVEY OF CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM AND WILL PREPARE A

DETAILED STATUS REPORT IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THEIR VISIT.

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